### ETHERIAL WINS CLOSE RACE FROM WISE MASON

Takes Rancho Del Paso Stakes by Neck in Driving Finish Under the Whip---Jimmy Lane Annexes Corinthian Open Steeplechase---Falcada Comes Under Wire First in Seven-Furlong Dash, With Fashion Plate Second.

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BELMONT PARK, N. Y., October 12.—In a two-horse race Etherial won the Rancho Del Paso Stakes, which was run to-day over the six furlongs straightaway course at Belmont Park, Etherial and Wise Mason broke heads apart, but Etherial soon took a half length advantage. They ran in this order to opposite the field stand, where Wise Mason moved up. The rest of the distance was under the whip, and in a hard drive Etheria, won by a neck. Summaries:

First race—maiden, two-year-olds, six furlongs—Golden Legend, first; Beaucoup, second; Pins and Needolf Pins and Needolf Pins and Six furlongs—Golden Legend, first; Candon, second, Footpad, third. Time, 1:251-5. Sixth race—three-year-olds and up, mile and a quarter—Milford, first; whip Top, second; Juggler, third. Time, 1:133-5.

Second race—the Corinthian, open Time, 2:661-5.

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and V. M. I. goes to Roanoke for the annual game with V. P. I. on October 27th. St. John's team is a well-balanced, strong, aggressive bunch and a hard game is expected. St. John's played a close game with Virginia, scoring 9 to Virginia's 0 in the first half, finally losing to Virginia after a hard game and by a close score.

# Men Light and Green, but Gen-[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LEXINGTON, VA. October 12.—The Hampden-Sidney team presented so little opposition Saturday that it was difficult to judge of V. M. L's progress by their one-sided game. There was evidence of some improvement over the Saturday before both in team work and individual play, but taken as a whole the team is still green and light.

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There was still too much fumbling between the centre and the quarter, and if the team is to do any consistent ground-gaining that faut must be climinated. McLane, at full back, showed something of his old form, advancing the bail well, while his kicking of goals was a decided improvement over the Maturday before.

Patterson, at right tackle, was good in both defense and attack, he seldom failing to make ground when called upon. The general work of the team was on the whole better and the plays were gotten off in more snappy style, but the bail was lost too often on fumbles and went over entrely too frequently on downs in a game against such a weak team. Besides, V. M. I.'s deserved too many penalties, the efferce was repeatedly leading a procession with the bail under his arm toward V. M. I.'s goal. This will be a serious business if it happens in a big game.

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Fills Varsity with Joy—Eleven
Shows Great Improvement.

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CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., October
12—There is much joy in the football camp at the University of Virginia to-day over the return of "Billy" (Gloth, captain-elect of the varsity team, who put in his appearance unexpectedly late yesterday afternoon. The news spread rapidly throughout college, and was hailed with delight by the student body.

Gloth was the mainstay of the Virginia line for two years, putting up such a star game that he was given a place on the All-Southern team by the critics. He is an all-round player, full of dash and vinn and so valuable on the defensive that very few plays are sent over him. On the offensive, he is among the first to get down the field, irrequently tackling the runner ahead of his ends, and whenever there is a fumble, he is very apt to be found on top of the ball.

At the opening of the session, when it was announced that Gloth had entered a law office at his home in Erie, Pa., and would not return to college, there was much disappointment in local football circles. Many believed, however, that he would return before the season was far advanced, and never once did his intimate friends let up on him. Letters were sent to him almost every day begging him to return to the aid of his Alma Mater.

Gloth's return will strengthen the team perhaps 25 per cent. The line showed up woefully weak in the early games, but there was much improvement during the past week. In the Davidson contest there was almost an entire reversal of form, the men charged well and followed the ball consistently. With Gloth back in his old position at centre, Holladay will probably be shifted to guard, where he played a good game last season.

On the present varsity team there are now its members of last year's eleven—Gloth, Holladay and Wellford, in the line, and Honaker, Neff and Yancey, in the back field.

Head Coach Cooke, who has been spending several days at New Haven, looking into the system of alumnicaching in vogue at

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